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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MAKING OPTICAL FIBER PREFORM

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 30 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ Priority Claimed. CIP of 09/423,050
- ☐ Certified copy of _____
- ☒ 6 sheets of formal drawing.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to _____
and the assignment recordation fee.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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CLAIM OF PRIORITY

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In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 120, Applicants hereby claim the priority of U. S. Patent Application No. 09/423,050, filed November 1, 1999, of which this application is a Continuation-In-Part.

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